### REORGANIZATION MEETING

### Mayor and Council Borough of Harrington Park January 2, 2021

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Topic: Reorganization Meeting

Time: Jan 2, 2021 12:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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# PAH The 117th Reorganization Meeting to be called to Order by Ann H. Bistritz, Borough Clerk with the following Announcement: Time: 12:00pm

"In compliance with Chapter 231, Public Law 1975, adequate notice of this meeting was made. Copies have been e-mailed to THE RECORD and the NORTH JERSEY SUBURBANITE." A copy has been filed with the Borough Clerk and copies have been provided to individuals requesting same.

First Roll Call: Councilman Evanella

Councilwoman Walker Councilman Brockman Councilman Pedersen

### **PAH** Oath of Office

Mr. John R. Dineen, Borough Attorney will swear in Councilwoman Chung Mr. John R. Dineen, Borough Attorney will swear in Councilman Napolitano

New Councilmembers assume their seats with Council

**PAH** Mayor Hoelscher requests the <u>Roll Call</u> of the Council for the year 2021 as follows:

	Present	Absent
(AN)	X	
(GE)	X	
(DW)	X	
(JB)	X	
(JP)	X	
(JC)	X	
	(GE) (DW) (JB) (JP)	(AN) x (GE) x (DW) x (JB) x (JP) x

Also present: Ann H. Bistritz, Borough Clerk/Administrator (ALB)

John R. Dineen, Borough Attorney (JRD) Kunjesh Trivedi, CFO/ Tax Collector (KJT)

PAH welcomed all Councilmembers back to start the new year.

### PAH <u>Invocation-Rev. Diane Rhodes, St. Andrew's Church</u>

Rev. Rhodes noted the traditions of the Harrington Park community and thanked all the volunteers and First Responders who help create a wonderful place for all to call home.

### PAH Flag Salute (ALB)

Pledge of Allegiance.

### **PAH** Adoption of By-laws

Motion that the by-laws adopted by the Mayor and Council on January 1, 1956, and as amended on January 1, 1971, and May 19, 2008, be adopted to govern the Mayor and Council with an amendment to reflect the present practices and procedures involving committee assignments.

Motion: GE Second: JP Vote: AIF

### **PAH** Election of Council President

Mayor Hoelscher asks for nomination for Council President

AN offered JP to be nominated for Council President.

GE Concurred and was honored to second the motion.

Vote: AIF (JP abstained)

### PAH Council Assignments

Mayor Hoelscher offers the following appointments to Council Committees:

	Committee	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Member</u>
1.	Planning, Bd. of Adj.,	Napolitano	Evanella	Walker
	Construction			

Fire Dept., Ambulance Corps

2	Police, Municipal Court,	Evanella	Walker	Napolitano
	Personnel (Handbook/Eval.)			

- 3. DPW/Building & Grounds Walker Napolitano Evanella Sanitation/ Recycling
- 4. Board of Health Brockman Pedersen Chung\* Environmental Commission

\* Alternate for EC-Chung

- 5. Finance, Admin. & Exec., Pedersen Chung Brockman Grants
- 6. Recreation Commission Chung Brockman Pedersen

Liaison to Bd. of Ed.

Public Information: (Newsletter/website, etc.)

Motion: JP Second: JB

PAH noted no changes from the previous year

Vote: AIF

### PAH Consent Agenda (2021)

All matters listed below are considered to be routine in nature by Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If any discussion is desired by a Council Member, that particular item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered separately. (A-AM)

- \*A. Designate Professionals for Borough Assignments 2021-1
- \*B. Resolution: Authorize Appointment of Professionals 2021-2
- \*C. Designate Borough Staff Appointments 2021-3
- \*D. Designate School Marshals and Reserves 2021-4
- \*E. Designate Members of Boards/Commissions/Ad Hoc Committees 2021-5
- \*F. Continuance of Petty Cash Fund 2021-6
- \*G. Authorize Official Depositories 2021-7
- \*H. Authorize Disbursement of Monies/Payment of Claims 2021-8
- \*I. Authorize Secretary of Municipal Corp.2021-9
- \*J. Authorize Payroll A/C Clerk or Treasurer to Sign Checks 2021-10
- \*K. Authorize Tax Assessor & Collector to File Tax Appeals 2021-11
- \*L. Authorize Fee for Notice of Meetings 2021-12

- \*M. Designate Official Newspapers 2021-13
- \*N. Set Interest Rate for Nonpayment of Taxes and Assessments 2021-14
- \*O. Designate Officers -Fire Department and Ambulance Corps 2021-15
- \*P. Endorse Meeting Schedule for 2021-16
- \*Q. Endorse Emergency Management Committee 2021-17
- \*R. Mutual Alliance Membership List 2021-18
- \*S. Payment of Bills 2021-19
- \*T. Adopting Temporary Budget 2021-20
- \*U. Appointment of Risk Manager 2021-21
- \*V. Appointment of Municipal Housing Officers 2021-22
- \*W. Appointment of Deputy Municipal Registrar of Vital Statistics 2021-23
- \*X. Supporting Mutual Aid Plan and Rapid Deployment Force 2021-24
- \*Y. Civil Rights Policy 2021-25
- \*Z. Neglia Engineering-Agreement for Professional Services 2021-26
- \*AA. Fire Department Interborough Mutual Aid 2021-27
- \*AB Appointing a Coordinator for The Borough's Emergency Telephone System 2021-28
- \*AC. Authorizing the Borough of Harrington Park to Enter Into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement 2021-29
- \*AD. Endorsement of Holiday and Seasonal Schedule for Borough Hall Offices 2021-30
- \*AE. Opt-Out Program for State Health Benefits Program 2021-31
- \*AF. Animal Cruelty Agreement 2021-32
- \*AG. Appointment to the County Public Safety Communications Advisory Board 2021-33
- \*AH Appointing the Borough Clerk as Registrar of Vital Statistics 2021-34
- \*AI Appointing Alternate Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics 2021-35
- \*AJ Resolution Confirming the Re-Appointment of Matthew Fierro as the Borough of Harrington Park Municipal Court Judge 2021-36
- \*AK. DESIGNATING A PUBLIC AGENCY COMPLIANCE OFFICER (P.A.C.O.) 2021-37
- \*AL. ANNUAL RECYCLING TONNAGE FILING 2021-38
- \*AM ADOPTING A FORM REQUIRED TO BE USED FOR THE FILING OF NOTICES OF TORT CLAIMS AGAINST THE BOROUGH OF HARRINGTON PARK IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE NEW JERSEY TORT CLAIMS ACT, N.J.S.A. 59:8-6.

### Motion to adopt items A-AM as one item:

GE inquired to confirm if the Temporary Budget covers the first quarter of the year only. KJT confirmed.

	MOTION	SECOND				
Roll Call Vote			YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
NAPOLITANO (AN)			Х			
EVANELLA (GE)			х			
WALKER (DW)		Х	Х			
					Abstain	
BROCKMAN (JB)			х		on O	
PEDERSEN (JP)	Х		Х			
CHUNG (JC)			Х			

### **Comments by Mayor:**

PAH wished everyone a healthy and safe New Year. He continued to request all residents to follow the health guidelines to keep the spread of the virus to a minimum. He hopes that this year

will provide a better solutions for dealing with the pandemic related issues that our community faces on a regular basis. He thanked all for their continued support and is blessed and privileged for working with the councilmembers. He is fortunate that all work together civilian manner, and agree on most issues.

**Open Meeting to Public** 

Motion: GE Second: JP Vote: AIF

**Close Meeting to Public** 

Motion: GE Second: JP Vote: AIF

### PAH Benediction- Rev. Diane Rhodes, St. Andrew's Church

Adjournment Time: 12:17pm

Motion: JP Second: GE Vote: AIF

# CONSENT AGENDA

**January 2, 2021** 

### A. RESOLUTION 2021-1

### DESIGNATE PROFESSIONALS FOR BOROUGH ASSIGNMENTS

Mayor Hoelscher offers the names of the following individuals for professional services, without competitive bids as authorized by NJSA 40A:11-1 et seq.:

Borough Auditor - Gary W. Higgins, CPA, RMA

Borough Attorney –John R. Dineen, Esq.

Special Police Counsel – Raymond Wiss, Esq.

Judge-Matthew Fierro, Esq.

Prosecutor – Siobhan Bailey, Esq.

Alternate Prosecutor-Laura Nunnink, Esq.

Public Defender – Robert C. Metzdorf, Esq.

Borough Engineer & Sewer Engineer - Michael J. Neglia, PE, LS, PP

Special Planning Consultant-Richard Preiss PP, Phillips Preiss Grygiel, LLC

Risk Manager – Brian H. Eifert, CPCU, AAI

Planning Board Attorney-Gail L. Price Esq., Price, Meese, Schulman & D'Arminio

Zoning Board of Adjustment-John Schettino, Esq.

Special Counsel (M&C) - Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer P.A.

Special Counsel (Environmental) - Michael G. Luchkiw, Esq.

### **B. RESOLUTION 2021-2**

AUTHORIZE APPOINTMENT OF PROFESSIONALS AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN CONTRACT FOR BOROUGH AUDITOR, BOROUGH ATTORNEY, SPECIAL

POLICE COUNSEL, RISK MANAGER, BOROUGH ENGINEER & SPECIAL BOND

**COUNSEL** 

WHEREAS, the Borough of Harrington Park has a need to acquire services for a Borough Auditor, Borough Attorney, Special Police Counsel, Risk Manager, Borough Engineer, and Special Bond Counsel as a non-fair and open contract pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has determined and certified in writing that the value of the acquisition will exceed \$17,500.00; and,

WHEREAS, the anticipated term of these contracts is 1 year; and

**WHEREAS**, Gary W. Higgins, RMA, John R. Dineen, Esq., Raymond Wiss, Esq., Brian H. Eifert, Michael Neglia, P.E., and Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer, P.A. have submitted proposals January 1, 2021, indicating they will provide the legal services, auditing and accounting services, risk management services, and engineering services for the price indicated in the proposals; and

WHEREAS, the foregoing professionals have each completed and submitted a Business Entity Disclosure Certification which certifies that each of them has not made any reportable contributions to a political or candidate committee in the Borough of Harrington Park as provided by law in the previous one year, and that the contract will prohibit each of them from making any reportable contributions through the term of the contract, and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that there are sufficient funds available to pay these contracts.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park authorizes the Mayor, Borough Clerk, or Certified Financial Officer to enter into a contract with Gary W. Higgins, RMA, John R. Dineen, Esq., Raymond Wiss, Esq., Brian H. Eifert, Michael Neglia, P.E., and Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer, P.A. as described herein; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Business Disclosure Entity Certification and the Determination of Value be placed on file with this Resolution; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that pursuant to N.J.S. 40A:11-1, the Borough of Harrington Park shall publish this Resolution according to law.

### C. RESOLUTION 2021-3

### DESIGNATE BOROUGH STAFF APPOINTMENTS

Mayor Hoelscher offers the following appointments for the year 2021 at compensation as prescribed by Ordinance unless noted:

### **Borough Staff Appointments**

Louis Apa Sanitarian Ann H. Bistritz Administrator

Ann H. Bistritz Assessment Search Officer
Ann H. Bistritz Registrar of Vital Statistics
Ann H. Bistritz Sub-Division Search Officer

Walter Klein, MD Police Surgeon (w/o compensation)

Martha Francis Office Assistant/Environmental Commission Sec'y/Newsletter

Recreation Commission Sec'y Alternate Deputy Registrar

Carolyn Lee Office Assistant, Planning Board/Board of Adjustment Clerk

Mike Hunken Emergency Management Coordinator

Steve Nappi Superintendent of Public Works, Sewer Operator & Recycling Coordinator

Jo Anna Myung Accounts Clerk

William McGuire Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics

Annie Mongelia Tax Assessor Clerk, Board of Health Secretary

Kunjesh Trivedi Tax Search Officer

Kunjesh Trivedi Qualified Purchasing Agent

Kevin Murphy Foreman, Department of Public Works

Thomas Simpson Assistant Foreman Department of Public Works

Debra Reilly Technical Assistant Construction Department/Payroll Clerk

Lara Toomin Recreation Director

### D. RESOLUTION 2021-4

### **DESIGNATE SCHOOL MARSHALS & RESERVES**

Mayor Hoelscher offers the names of the following School Marshals; compensation for services is prescribed by Ordinance:

**School Marshals** 

Allison Campbell Thomas Clarke Edward Colletti Martha Francis Lisa Getzow Gail Keating Ludwina Lang Michael Mullany

Douglas Roem Mary Ann Romano

**Reserve School Marshals** 

John Bagli Ed Delaney Timothy Morgan James Muggeo

Maria Radowych

### E. RESOLUTION 2021-5

### DESIGNATE MEMBERS TO BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/AD HOC COMMITTEES

Mayor Hoelscher offers the following names Boards, Commissions, Special Committees and Ad Hoc Committees:

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BOARD	MEMBERS	<b>BEGAN</b>	TERM
Board of Adjustment	Robert Budinich	2016	2023
Chapter 30A	Jin Cho	2013	2024
7 Members 4 years	Steven Lott	2015	2022
Clerk: Carolyn Lee	Richard McLaughlin	1988	2024
	Stephen Martinez	1998	2024
	John Powers	2013	2024
	Michael Roth	1989	2024
	Allan S. Napolitano (Liaison)	2012	2021
2 Alternates 4 year (a)	Gail Zaccaro	2017	2024
(b)	Robert Frank	2020	2023
<b>Environmental Commission</b>	Peter Ardito	2006	2022
Chapter 15	Meredith Budinich	2017	2022
•	Theresa Hazelton	2014	2022
7 Members 3 year	Anne Lander	2013	2023
Mayor appointment	Mary Ann Schran	2008	2022
•	Sung Min Yoo (unexpired term)	2019	2022
Clerk: Martha Francis	Councilman Brockman (Liaison/member)	2019	2021
Board of Health	Robert Carbognin	2013	2021
Chapter 8 M&C apptmt	Chester Lee	2018	2023
7 Members 3 years	Howard Lipton	2009	2023
Secy: Annie Mongelia	Mary Oh	2011	2022
	Reynaldo Pella	2017	2022
	John Szweda	2010	2021
	Bruce Marshall (Unexpired term)	2021	2021
Alternate A (1 year appointment)	Michelle Migliaccio	2021	2021
	Councilman Brockman (Liaison)	2019	2021
Library	Judy Hunter	1996	2022
5 Members (5 years)	Susanne Hwang	2009	2024
Mayor 1 year	Terry Schettino (Mayor)	2018	2021
School Superintendent 1 year	Carol Kiernan	2007	2025
	Courtney Reinfried (unexpir. term)	2014	2023
	Joanne Scalpello	1998	2021
	Lina Ryu (School Supt.)	2019	2021

### **Planning Board**

Chapter 30A Composition:

Marron (I)	Dayl A. Haalaahan Mayan	1992	2023
Mayor (I)	Paul A. Hoelscher, Mayor		
Bd. Of Adj. Member (II)	Richard McLaughlin	2005	2024
Council (III)	Allan S. Napolitano	2012	2021
4 Members (4 years) (IV)	Peter Ardito (EC Rep.)	2009	2023
	John Capazzi,	1993	2023
	Jesse Barragato	2015	2022
	Robert Waldron	2014	2021
Alternate (a) (1 year)	Denise D. Vela	2018	2021
(b) (1 year)	Steven Beubis	2020	2021
Clerk: Carolyn Lee			
<b>Recreation Commission</b>	Robert Hwang	2019	2024
Chapter 36	Mahdad Parsi (Unexpired Term)	2021	2024
7 Members 5 year Mayor	Thomas Donnolly (unexpir. term)	2018	2022
Clerk: Martha Francis	Open Full Term TBA	****	****
	Patrick Kramer	2018	2022
	Ashley Plescia	2019	2023
	Matt Saland (unexpir. Term)	2019	2023
	Councilwoman Chung (Liaison/member)	2015	2021_
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**Ad-Hoc Appointments (Annual)** 

**Historic Preservation:** Ingeborg Nebel, Robert Frank, Robert Budinich, Louis Apa, Ann H. Bistritz

(Borough Clerk)

#### F. RESOLUTION 2021-6

### CONTINUANCE OF PETTY CASH FUND

**BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that it approves continuing the Petty Cash Fund pursuant to provisions of NJSA 40:A5-21, not to exceed \$500.00 and that the Chief Financial Officer be authorized as the Fund Custodian; and **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Treasurer be authorized to issue a check in the amount of \$500.00 to the Custodian of the Petty Cash Fund.

### G. RESOLUTION 2021-7

### **AUTHORIZE OFFICIAL DEPOSITORIES**

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that Bank of America (Closter), PNC Bank (Northvale), Bank of New Jersey (Haworth), TD Bank (Norwood), Chase Bank (Norwood), Northern State Bank (Closter), NVE Bank (Closter), and New Jersey Cash Management Fund, be and are hereby designated as the official depositories of the Borough.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the herein-before listed financial institutions may be used as depository for the following accounts: Current Fund Savings and Checking Account, Capital Fund Savings and Checking Account, Trust Fund Savings and Checking Account, Unemployment Compensation Savings Account, Dog Revenue Savings and Checking Account, Payroll and Payroll Deduction Accounts, Affordable Housing Trust Fund, and Municipal Open Space Trust Account.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this Resolution with appropriate certifications thereto be furnished to all depositories herein-before named by the Borough Clerk.

### H. RESOLUTION 2021-8

### AUTHORIZE DISBURSEMENT OF MONIES/PAYMENT OF CLAIMS

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that, pursuant to NJSA 40A:5-17(b), the Borough of Harrington Park shall henceforth disburse monies or pay claims, approved in accordance with NJSA 40A:5-17(a), by check: (1) drawn on the Borough of Harrington Park, (2) signed by the Mayor, or in the absence of the Mayor, the Borough Council President; and the Borough Clerk or Deputy Borough Clerk in the absence of the Borough Clerk, and (3) countersigned by the Financial Officer, that is the Borough Treasurer, or in the absence

of the Borough Treasurer, the Deputy Borough Clerk, or the designated Acting Borough Treasurer.

### **I.RESOLUTION 2021-9**

### AUTHORIZE SECRETARY OF MUNICIPAL CORP.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that the Acting Borough Clerk or the Deputy Borough Clerk in the absence of the Borough Clerk is the Secretary of the Municipal Corporation, the custodian of personnel records as outlined in NJSA 40 & 40A and is the Certifying Officer of the Borough in processing local documents pertaining to the PERS and in particular with enrollment, retirement and withdrawal claims; the custodian of the Employee Handbook and is responsible for other certifying requirements as directed by the Statutes of New Jersey.

### J. RESOLUTION 2021-10

### AUTHORIZE PAYROLL A/C CLERK OR TREASURER TO SIGN CHECKS

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that Kunjesh Trivedi, Certified Financial Officer be authorized to sign all checks drawn on the Payroll Account and Payroll Deduction Account of the Borough of Harrington Park on deposit with the Bank of New Jersey.

### K. RESOLUTION 2021-11

### AUTHORIZE TAX ASSESSOR & COLLECTOR TO FILE TAX APPEALS

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that authorization is hereby given to the Tax Assessor to file Tax Appeals for and settlement for the purpose of correcting assessment errors on the 2020 Tax Rolls.

### L. RESOLUTION 2021-12

### AUTHORIZE FEE FOR NOTICE OF MEETINGS

WHEREAS, Section 14 of the Open Public Meeting Act, Chapter 231, PL1975 permits the Public Body to fix a reasonable sum to be charged to persons who request that notice of meetings as required under the Act be mailed to them individually, and,

WHEREAS, said sum to cover the costs of providing such notice;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as follows:

- Each person who requests individual notice as required under the Act be mailed to him, shall pay annually to the Borough of Harrington Park, the sum of \$10.00 per year per Board, Council, Commission, etc., or an amount deemed by State Statute to cover the costs thereof.
- 2) The sum herein designated is subject to change upon adoption of a superseding Resolution by this body.
- 3) This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

### M. RESOLUTION 2021-13

### **DESIGNATE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPERS**

**WHEREAS,** Section 3-d of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, PL 1975 requires that certain notice of meetings be submitted to two newspapers, and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as follows:

- 1) THE RECORD, 1 Garret Mountain Plaza, Woodland Park, NJ is hereby designated as the Borough's official newspaper to receive all notices of meetings as required under the Open Public Meetings Act.
- 2) SUBURBANITE, North Jersey Newspapers, 1 Garret Mountain Plaza, Woodland Park, NJ
- 3) THE STAR LEDGER, 1 Gateway Center, Suite 1100, Newark, NJ 07102

Above publications are hereby designated also to receive all notices of meetings required under the Open Public Meetings Act.

That the Regular Meetings to be held during 2021 are to be held at the time and on the date at the place shown on the Schedule of Meetings attached hereto which must be disseminated to the THE RECORD and SUBURBANITE and posted within seven (7) days following this meeting. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

### N. RESOLUTION 2021-14

### SET INTEREST RATE FOR NONPAYMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that pursuant to Title 54:4-67 of the Revised Statutes of NJ, the Mayor and Council hereby fix the rate of interest to be charged for the non payment of taxes and assessments on or before the date when the same would become delinquent at the rate not to exceed 8% per annum on the first \$1,500.00 of the delinquency, and 18% per annum on any amount in excess of \$1,500.00.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that after the 10 day grace period interest reverts back to the due date at the rate of 8% on the first \$1,500.00, etc.

### **O. RESOLUTION 2021-15**

### DESIGNATE OFFICERS FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT AND AMBULANCE CORPS

Mayor Hoelscher offers the names of the following Fire Officers for the Borough of Harrington Park for the year 2021:

### **Harrington Park Volunteer Fire Department:**

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Chief}-\text{Jesse Barragato} & 1^{\text{st}} \text{ Lt.}-\text{Joe Barron} \\ \text{Assistant Chief}-\text{Thomas Simpson} & 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ Lt.}-\text{Sean Misa} \\ \text{Captain}-\text{Matt Hartman} & 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ Lt JG.}-\text{Ray Geller} \end{array}$ 

### Harrington Park Volunteer Fire Company #1

President-Dan Hartman

Vice President-Jeffrey Brockman

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Pres.-Bill Sposa

Secretary-Michael Marzocchi

Treasurer-Robert Barker

Sgt. of Arms-Frank Murphy

### **Harrington Park Ambulance Corps:**

Captain-Craig Budinich President-Jeff Walker
Assistant Captain-Hollie Arnold Vice President-Eric Fishbein

1st Lieutenant-Bruce Marshall Treasurer-Jeff Pond
Secretary – Victoria Ferrentino

### **P. RESOLUTION 2021-16**

### **ENDORSE MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2021**

Mayor's Announcement: "In compliance with the Open Public Meeting Law, PL1975, c. 231, a schedule of Regular Meetings of the Mayor and Council; Board of Health; Recreation Commission; Planning Board; Board of Adjustment; Library and Environmental Commission has been posted on the Official Bulletin Board in the Municipal Center, copies have been emailed to THE RECORD and the SUBURBANITE newspapers."

No confirmation is necessary. Official meetings are listed at the end of the agenda.

### O. RESOLUTION 2021-17

### ENDORSE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Mayor Hoelscher offers the names of the following individuals to Emergency Management

Committee (as per law) for one-year terms, expiring 12/31/21:

Paul A. Hoelscher Mayor

Michael Hunken Emergency Management Coordinator

Chief Albert Maalouf Chief of Police

Ann H. Bistritz Borough Clerk/Administrator

Steven Nappi Asst. Emergency Management Coordinator; Act. Supt. of D.P.W.

Jesse Barragato Fire Chief

Craig Budinich Ambulance Corps Captain

Louis Apa Borough Sanitarian

Dr. Adam Fried Superintendent Harrington Park School

Peter Ardito Environmental Commission

Michael J. Neglia, P.E.

Gregory Evanella

Sonja Clarke

Borough Engineer
Borough Council
Suez (Utility)

Vacancy Radiological Officer

### R. RESOLUTION 2021-18

### MUNICIPAL ALLIANCE MEMBERS

Mayor Hoelscher offers the Municipal Alliance members- 2021. No confirmation is necessary.

Chief Albert Maalouf 49 LaRoche Avenue Chief of Police

Sergeant Robert Murphy "Municipal Alliance Chairperson

Officer Jennifer Leeman " LEAD Officer Councilman Gregory Evanella 85 Harriot Avenue Council Liaison

Rev. Steve SayerCCHPClergyRev. Diane RhodesSt. Andrew's ChurchClergyRev. Wojciech JaskowiakOur Lady of VictoriesClergy

Bruce Sabatini NVRHS Regional High School Joanne Scalpello Resident Public Member

Nancy Scheffler "

Thomas Hackett "Senior Citizen
Mayor Paul A. Hoelscher 85 Harriot Avenue Governing Body

Tommy Perides 191 Harriot Avenue Board of Education, Pres.
Dr. Adam Fried "Supt. of HP School
Jessica Nitzberg "Principal HP School

Mary Barnes/Grace Weng "HSA- Co. Pres./HP School

Judge Matthew Fierro 85 Harriot Avenue Court

Robert Budinich Resident Civic Assoc.-Lions Club Paul Shackford Resident HP Business Alliance

N/A Labor Union

## **S. RESOLUTION 2021-19**

# **PAYMENT OF BILLS/CURRENT FUND DISBURSEMENTS, January 2, 2021** tty Cash \$500.00

Petty Cash

To reinstate petty cash

### T. RESOLUTION 2021-20 APPROVAL OF 2021 TEMPORARY BUDGET

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0-01-20-100-000-100	ADMINISTRATION & EXECUTIVE SW	4,120.00
0-01-20-100-000-200	ADMINISTRATION & EXECUTIVE OE	10,300.00
0-01-20-110-000-200	MAYOR & COUNCIL OE	1,030.00
0-01-20-120-000-100	MUNICIPAL CLERK SW	16,995.00
0-01-20-120-000-200	MUNICIPAL CLERK OE	1,442.00
0-01-20-130-000-100	FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION SW	41,200.00
0-01-20-130-000-200	FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION OE	10,000.00
0-01-20-135-000-200	FINANCIAL AUDIT OE	15,000.00
0-01-20-140-000-100	COMPUTER DATA PROCESSING	5,000.00
0-01-20-145-000-100	REVENUE & TAX COLLECTION SW	0.52
0-01-20-145-000-200	REVENUE & TAX COLLECTION OE	927.00
0-01-20-150-000-100	TAX ASSESSMENT SW	7,200.00
0-01-20-150-000-200	TAX ASSESSMENT OE	865.00
0-01-20-155-000-200	LEGAL SERVICES OE	12,240.00
0-01-20-165-000-200	ENGINEERING SERVICES OE	3,600.00
0-01-20-510-000-200	STORMWATER MANAGEMENT OE	3,600.00
0-01-21-180-000-100	PLANNING BOARD SW	721.00
0-01-21-180-000-200	PLANNING BOARD OE	15,450.00
0-01-21-185-000-100	ZONING BOARD SW	1,245.00
0-01-21-185-000-200	ZONING BOARD OE	618.00
0-01-22-195-000-100	CONSTRUCTION CODE SW	22,660.00
0-01-22-195-000-200	CONSTRUCTION CODE OE	1,236.00
0-01-23-210-000-200	JOINT INSURANCE FUND OE	61,800.00
0-01-23-215-000-200	STATE DISABILITY INSURANCE OE	2,060.00
0-01-23-220-000-200	EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS OE	164,000.00
0-01-23-225-000-200	STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE OE	1,545.00
0-01-25-240-000-100	POLICE SW	468,000.00
0-01-25-240-000-200	POLICE OE	15,300.00
0-01-25-252-000-200	EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SERVICES OE	5,100.00
0-01-25-255-000-200	FIRE COMPANY OE	10,300.00
0-01-25-260-000-200	FIRE HYDRANT SERVICES OE	32,960.00
0-01-25-265-000-200	FIRE DEPARTMENT OE	15,450.00
0-01-25-266-000-100	UNIFORM FIRE SAFETY SW	1,442.00
0-01-25-266-000-200	UNIFORM FIRE SAFETY OE	824.00
0-01-25-275-000-200	MUNICIPAL PROSECUTOR OE	2,060.00
0-01-26-290-000-100	ROAD REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE SW	205,000.00

0-01-26-290-000-200	ROAD REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE OE		20,400.00
0-01-26-305-000-200	SOLID WASTE COLLECTION OE		51,500.00
0-01-26-310-000-200	PUBLIC BUILDINGS & GROUNDS OE		5,356.00
0-01-26-315-000-200	VEHICLE MAINTENANCE OE		7,210.00
0-01-26-326-000-200	BEAUTIFICATION OE		700.00
0-01-27-330-000-100	BOARD OF HEALTH SW		5,150.00
0-01-27-330-000-200	BOARD OF HEALTH OE		3,100.00
0-01-27-335-000-100	ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION SW		1,000.00
0-01-27-335-000-200	ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION OE		1,000.00
0-01-28-370-000-100	PARKS & RECREATION SW		2,060.00
0-01-28-370-000-200	SENIOR SERVICES		5,000.00
0-01-28-375-000-200	PARKS MAINTENANCE/RECREATION OE		2,500.00
0-01-29-390-000-200	MAINT FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY OE		92,000.00
0-01-31-430-000-200	ELECTRICITY OE		6,900.00
0-01-31-435-000-200	STREET LIGHTING OE		13,000.00
0-01-31-440-000-200	TELEPHONE OE		7,100.00
0-01-31-445-000-200	WATER OE		4,600.00
0-01-31-446-000-200	NATURAL GAS OE		3,000.00
0-01-31-455-000-200	SEWER MAINTENANCE OE		135.00
0-01-31-460-000-200	GASOLINE OE		15,000.00
0-01-31-462-000-200	SEWER BCUA OE		100,000.00
0-01-32-465-000-200	SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL OE		160,000.00
	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM		,
0-01-36-471-000-200	OE		
0-01-36-472-000-200	SOCIAL SECURITY OE		51,000.00
0-01-36-473-000-200	LOSAP OE		
0-01-36-475-000-200	POLICE & FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM OE		
0-01-41-700-000-000	FEDERAL & STATE GRANTS		
0-01-42-250-000-200	INTER BORO RADIO  MUNICIPAL COURT INTERLOCAL NORWOOD		17,000.00
0-01-42-490-000-200	OE OE	Rivervale	7,500.00
0-01-43-490-000-100	MUNICIPAL COURT SW		3,200.00
0-01-43-490-000-200	MUNICIPAL COURT OE		1,060.00
0-01-43-495-000-000	PUBLIC DEFENDER OE		1,545.00
0-01-44-901-000-200	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND OE		70,000.00
0-01-45-899-000-200	RESERVE FOR UNCOLLECTED TAXES		
0-01-45-920-000-200	DEBT SERVICE - BOND PRINCIPAL OE		320,000.00
0-01-45-930-000-200	DEBT SERVICE - BOND INTEREST OE		60,000.00
0-01-45-940-000-200	DEBT SERVICE - GREEN TRUST LOAN		7,800.00
0-01-45-945-000-200	DEBT SERVICE - NJEIT LOAN		36,000.00
0-01-46-875-000-200	DEFERRED CHARGES - SPECIAL EMERGENCY OE		
	Final Totals		2,243,106.52

### U. RESOLUTION 2021-21

### APPOINTING RISK MANAGER

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Harrington Park is a current member of the Bergen County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund, and:

**WHEREAS**, the Fund Bylaws require the appointment of a Risk Management Consultant, and; **WHEREAS**, the Borough of Harrington Park desires the services of a Risk Management Consultant to perform various services in connection with its membership in the insurance fund, and:

**WHEREAS**, the judgmental nature of the duties of Risk Management Consultant renders comparative bidding impractical;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Borough of Harrington Park does hereby appoint Brian H. Eifert, French and Company, 86 County Road, Tenafly, N.J. as its Risk Management Consultant for a one-year term effective January 1, 2021 and;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute a Risk Management Consultant's Agreement and to cause a notice of this decision to be published according to state statutes, and;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to Brian H. Eifert and to the Bergen County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund.

### V. RESOLUTION 2021-22

### APPOINTING A MUNICIPAL HOUSING OFFICERS

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Harrington Park has determined that there is a need to appoint a Municipal Housing Officer(s); and

**WHEREAS**, there is sufficient funding per the salary ordinance and the Chief Financial Officer has certified that there are sufficient funds to pay for such official through the COAH Trust Fund.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as follows:

Ann H. Bistritz, RMC shall be appointed as Municipal Housing Official for the Borough of Harrington Park and Kunjesh Trivedi, CFO as Alternate Municipal Housing Officer (Financial) for CY2021.

### W. RESOLUTION 2021-23

### APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY MUNICIPAL REGISTRAR

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Harrington Park is required by law, NJS 26:8-1.1 to appoint a Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics; and

WHEREAS, New Jersey statutes, require and authorize the municipality to appoint such officials; and

WHEREAS, William McGuire is a New Jersey Certified Municipal Registrar; and

**WHEREAS,** William McGuire will provide this service with compensation as per the Borough Salary Ordinance; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** the Mayor has offered the name of William McGuire to serve in the capacity as Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics for the Borough of Harrington Park.

### X. RESOLUTION 2021-24

### SUPPORTING MUTUAL AID PLAN AND RAPID DEPLOYMENT FORCE

WHEREAS, the Police Departments in Bergen County have a day-to-day responsibility to provide for the security of lives and property, for the maintenance and preservation of the public peace and order, and

WHEREAS, law enforcement officials also have a responsibility to provide for preparedness against natural emergencies such as floods, hurricanes, earthquakes, major storms, etc.,

man-made causes. Civil unrest, and civil disobedience such as riots, strikes jail or prison riots, train wrecks, aircraft crashes, major fires, riots, terrorist incidents and bombings, state and national emergencies; and

WHEREAS, this plan is adopted in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:14-156, N.J.S.A. 40A:14-156.1, N.J.S.A. 40A14-156.4 and N.J.S.A. APP. A: 9-40.6, and WHEREAS, this plan will provide a uniform procedure for the coordination of the requesting, dispatching, and utilization of law enforcement personnel and equipment whenever a local law enforcement agency requires mutual aid assistance from any other jurisdiction, both contiguous and non-contiguous, in the event of an emergency, riot or disorder, in order to protect life and property, and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park to participate in mutual aid plan and rapid deployment force in accordance with the plan as submitted by the Bergen County Chief's Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that the Police Department of the Borough of Harrington Park under the direction of the Chief of Police, cooperate with the Bergen County Police Chief's Association to create an Interlocal services agreement with all municipalities in the County of Bergen in order to put into place the mutual aid plan and rapid deployment force, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the County Executive, the Board of Chosen Freeholders, the County Prosecutor.

### Y. RESOLUTION 2021-25

TO AFFIRM THE BOROUGH OF HARRINGTON PARK CIVIL RIGHTS POLICY WITH RESPECT TO ALL OFFICIALS, APPOINTEES, EMPLOYEES, PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEES, VOLUNTEERS, INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS, AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC THAT COME INTO CONTACT WITH MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES, OFFICIALS AND VOLUNTEERS

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Borough of Harrington Park to treat the public, employees, prospective employees, appointees, volunteers and contractors in a manner consistent with all applicable civil laws and regulations including, but not limited to the Federal Civil Rights Act of 1964 as subsequently amended, the New Jersey Law against Discrimination, the Americans with Disabilities Act and the Conscientious Employee Protection Act, and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park has determined that certain procedures need to be established to accomplish this policy

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ADOPTED** by the Borough of Harrington Park Mayor and Council that:

**Section 1:** No official, employee, appointee or volunteer of the Borough of Harrington Park by whatever title known, or any entity that is in any way a part of the Borough of Harrington Park shall engage, either directly or indirectly in any act including the failure to act that constitutes discrimination, harassment or a violation of any person's constitutional rights while such official, employee, appointee volunteer, or entity is engaged in or acting on behalf of the Borough of Harrington Park's business or using the facilities or property of the Borough of Harrington Park.

**Section 2:** The prohibitions and requirements of this resolution shall extend to any person or entity, including but not limited to any volunteer organization or inter-local organization, whether structured as a governmental entity or a private entity, that receives authorization or support in any way from the Borough of Harrington Park to provide services that otherwise could be performed by the Borough of Harrington Park.

Section 3: Discrimination, harassment and civil rights shall be defined for purposes

of this resolution using the latest definitions contained in the applicable Federal and State laws concerning discrimination, harassment and civil rights.

**Section 4:** The Borough Administrator in conjunction with the governing body shall update written procedures for any person to report alleged discrimination, harassment and violations of civil rights prohibited by this resolution. Such procedures shall include alternate ways to report a complaint so that the person making the complaint need not communicate with the alleged violator in the event the alleged violator would be the normal contact for such complaints.

**Section 5:** No person shall retaliate against any person who reports any alleged discrimination, harassment or violation of civil rights, provided however, that any person who reports alleged violations in bad faith shall be subject to appropriate discipline.

**Section 6:** The Borough Administrator in conjunction with the governing body shall update written procedures that require all officials, employees, appointees and volunteers of the Borough of Harrington Park as well as all other entities subject to this resolution to periodically complete training concerning their duties, responsibilities and rights pursuant to this resolution.

**Section 7:** The Borough Administrator in conjunction with the governing body shall establish a system to monitor compliance and shall report at least annually to the Mayor and Council the results of the monitoring.

**Section 8:** At least annually, the Borough Administrator shall cause a summary of this resolution and the procedures established pursuant to this resolution to be communicated within the Borough of Harrington Park. This communication shall include a statement from the Mayor and Council expressing its unequivocal commitment to enforce this resolution. This summary shall also be posted on the Borough of Harrington Park's web site.

**Section 9:** This resolution shall take effect immediately.

**Section 10:** A copy of this resolution shall be published in the official newspaper of the Borough of Harrington Park in order for the public to be made aware of this policy and the Borough of Harrington Park's commitment to the implementation and enforcement of this policy.

### **Z. RESOLUTION 2021-26**

### **NEGLIA ENGINEERING-Agreement for Professional Services 2021**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Harrington Park has been provided with 3 options of Engineering Services to be provided to the municipality from Neglia Engineering; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council has determined that Option #2 would be most appropriate for the Borough of Harrington Park; and

**WHEREAS**, Option #2 is a lump sum basis for a cost of Eleven Hundred Dollars (\$1100) per month with an annual total of Thirteen Thousand, Two Hundred dollars (\$13,200) with the Mayor and Council meeting attendance only when requested.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Mayor and Borough Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the agreement of services for Option #2 for Neglia Engineering, 34 Park Avenue, Lyndhurst, New Jersey.

Acct #6-01-20-165-000-220

### **AA. RESOLUTION 2021-27**

### INTERBORO MUTUAL AID GROUP AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the undersigned municipalities, its fire departments and respective fire companies to enter into a mutual aid and assistance program pursuant to and required by law as set forth in NJAC 5:75A-2.2, and

WHEREAS, this agreement is intended to supersede any earlier agreements which may have been signed between the parties hereto, and

WHEREAS, this agreement shall be by and between the following boroughs, towns, municipalities, fire departments and fire companies and the parties agree to be bound thereby,

Alpine Dumont Norwood
Bergenfield Harrington Park Old Tappan
Closter Haworth Rockleigh
Cresskill New Milford Tenafly

Demarest Northvale

WHEREAS, it is necessary to have an agreement to define the obligations and duties of the parties of the Interboro Mutual Aid Group;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, the parties covenant and agree as follows:

- (1) Call for assistance: All calls for assistance among the Mutual Aid members shall be made through the dispatch facility of the department or municipality requiring assistance to the dispatch facility for the town from which assistance is requested. The request for assistance shall come from the Fire Chief or other ranking officer in charge of the fire or emergency incident. The town(s) requesting the assistance shall give the following information: location of the fire or emergency incident, route to be taken, and type of equipment requested. Towns requesting assistance shall have a police radio car on the town boundary line to meet the apparatus and escort them to the location of the fire or emergency incident if needed.
- (2) The Fire Chief, Deputy Fire Chief, Assistant Fire Chief or ranking officer in charge of the fire department that called for assistance shall be in charge of the fire or emergency incident in accordance with NJAC 5:75 et. seq. Apparatus reporting in from other towns shall report to the Staging Officer or other appropriate Commander at the scene prior to placing apparatus and personnel to work.
- (3) There shall be no charge imposed against any member municipality or department receiving personnel, apparatus or equipment.
- (4) Cost recovery may only be imposed where permitted by the New Jersey Uniform Fire Code; federal, state and local laws allowing for cost recoverable under law from responsible party.
- (5) Each of the aforementioned municipalities agrees to assume the cost of loss or damage to its own equipment,
- (6) It is understood that the Agreement will take effect and be operative by all municipalities and departments that sign same until such time as any municipality or department provides notice of their intent to withdraw from the mutual aid group. A thirty (30) day written notice shall be given by any party to this Agreement of their intention to withdraw from this Agreement. The agreement shall remain in full force thereafter as regards the remaining signatories.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Mayor and Council of the aforementioned municipalities.

### AB. RESOLUTION 2021-28

# APPOINTING A COORDINATOR FOR THE BOROUGH'S EMERGENCY

### TELEPHONE SYSTEM

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Harrington Park (Borough) is required pursuant to State law and the regulations of the State Department of Treasury to appoint a coordinator for the Borough's emergency telephone system (9-1-1 System); and

WHEREAS, the municipal coordinator of the 9-1-1 System is responsible for maintaining a plan for enhancing emergency services throughout the Borough and for developing such revisions to the plan as may be necessary for review by the Mayor and Council of the Borough; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough is empowered by law to appoint and employ professionals, technical advisors and experts as the Borough may determine to be necessary for its efficient operation; and

**WHEREAS,** the Borough has received a written recommendation from Chief Albert Maalouf, Chief of Police of the Harrington Park Police Department, requesting the appointment of Officer Eric Flyge as the municipal coordinator of the 9-1-1 System; and

**WHEREAS,** the Mayor and Council of the Borough are desirous of appointing Eric Flyge, to serve as municipal coordinator for the 9-1-1 System in accordance with the requirements and procedures mandated under NJSA 52: 17C-1 et seq., and NJAC 17:24-5., 1 et seq.,

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park, as follows:

- 1. That Eric Flyge of the Harrington Park Police Department is hereby appointed to serve as the municipal coordinator for the Borough's 9-1-1 System.
- 2. That Eric Flyge shall perform all such duties and carry out all of the responsibilities as set forth in the existing plan for enhanced emergency services throughout the Borough and in accordance with the requirements and procedures mandated under NJSA 52: 17C-1 et seq and NJAC 17:24-5., 1et seq.,
- 3. That no further action of the Borough shall be required.

### AC. RESOLUTION 2021-29

# AUTHORIZING THE BOROUGH OF HARRINGTON PARK TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATIVE PRICING AGREEMENT

**WHEREAS,** N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11(5) authorizes contracting units to enter into Cooperative Pricing Agreements; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Northvale hereinafter referred to as the "Lead Agency" has offered voluntary participation in a Cooperative Pricing System for the purchase of work, materials and supplies; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Harrington Park, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, desires to participate in the Riverside Cooperative;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** on 2nd day of January, 2021, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as follows: **TITLE** 

This Resolution shall be known and may be cited as the Cooperative Pricing Resolution of the Borough of Harrington Park

### **AUTHORITY**

Pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11 (5), the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement with the Lead Agency;

### **CONTRACTING UNIT**

The Lead Agency entering into contracts on behalf of the Borough of Harrington Park shall be responsible for complying with the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40-11-11, et. seq.) and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

### AD. RESOLUTION 2021-30

# ENDORSE HOLIDAY AND SEASONAL SCHEDULE FOR 2021-BOROUGH HALL OFFICES

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that as per the Employee Handbook, Summer hours with the Borough Hall closing at 2:30pm on Fridays

(shortened lunch breaks during week) commence May 28, 2021, through September 3, 2021, and the following (13) holiday dates have been scheduled for the year 2021 with the Municipal Building closed to the public

### **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE 2021**

New Year's Day	(1)	Friday, January 1
Martin Luther King, Jr.	<b>Day</b> (2)	Monday, January 18
President's Day	(3)	Monday, February 15
Good Friday	<b>(4)</b>	Friday, April 2
Memorial Day	(5)	Monday, May 31
<b>Independence Day</b>	(6)	Monday July 5
Labor Day	<b>(7</b> )	Monday, September 6
Columbus Day	(8)	Monday, October 11
<b>Veterans Day</b>	<b>(9</b> )	Thursday, November 11
Thanksgiving	(10/11)	Thursday, November 25, Friday, November 26
<b>Christmas Eve</b>	(12)	Friday, December 24
New Year's Eve	(13)	Friday, December 31

### AE. RESOLUTION 2021-31

### Opt Out Program for State Health Benefits Program

WHEREAS, the Borough of Harrington Park ("Borough") has employees and their dependents who participate in the Borough's Employee Health Benefits Program; and

**WHEREAS,** *N.J.S.A.* 40A:10-17.1 ("the Statute") permits a municipality which enters into a contract providing group health care benefits to employees, to allow an employee who is eligible and receives other health care coverage to waive coverage under the municipality's plan to which the employee is entitled by virtue of employment with the municipality; and

WHEREAS, the Borough will offer the opportunity to opt out and waive coverage and receive payment of an amount consistent with the Statute ("the Opt Out Program"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Governing Body has determined that permitting an employee to waive such coverage is in the best interest of the Borough.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that it does hereby permit an employee to waive coverage under the Borough's health care plan subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The employee who chooses to waive coverage must comply with all of the requirements of the Statute, including the Coverage Waiver Form required by the Borough and the Statute. To be eligible, the employee must have been receiving coverage from the Borough for a period of at least one (1) consecutive year.
- 2. The employee must provide proof of other health coverage prior to approval of any payment by the Borough. An employee shall not be eligible to participate in the Opt Out Program, and will be ineligible for payment of the waiver incentive, if the employee's other coverage is with the State Health Benefits Program ("SHBP") or School Employees' Health Benefits Program (SEHBP").
- 3. The amount of the payment to be provided to the employee who chooses to participate in the Opt Out Program **shall not** exceed twenty-five (25%) percent, or Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, whichever is less, of the amount saved by the Borough because of the employee's waiver of coverage.
- 4. Payment shall be made to employee annually.
- 5. The effective date of the Opt Out Program shall be October 1, 2021.
- 6. The payment referenced in paragraph 3 shall be payable only if the employee continues to be an employee for the full year. Payment shall be pro-rated on a <u>per diem</u> basis in the event employment ceases prior to the end of the year.

7. The Program as established herein shall conform to Local Finance Notice 2011-20, any amendments thereto, and any other requirements of the Division of Pensions and Benefits.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park hereby implements the aforesaid Duplicate

### AF. RESOLUTION 2021-32

### ANIMAL CRUELTY AGREEMENT

**WHEREAS,** the Bergen County Freeholder Resolution No. 1521-15 adopted on December 21, 2015 authorized the County to enter into an agreement with the Borough of Harrington Park for the County's furnishing of health services of a technical and professional nature; and

**WHEREAS,** the County and the Borough originally entered into a Shared Services Agreement dated June 1, 2018 and now desire to include additional services to be addressed by the "Animal Cruelty Agreement"; and

WHEREAS, additional services are needed to address recent mandatory legislation for the appointment of at least one Municipal Humane Law Enforcement Officer (MHLEO), who shall be trained within the calendar year; and

**WHEREAS,** For the year 2021 for fees to be paid by the rates set for by the County of Bergen for the Borough of Harrington Park through this Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough has certified that funds are available for this purpose in the amount of \$1400.00 for the year 2021.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that Mayor Paul A. Hoelscher and Borough Clerk Ann H. Bistritz are hereby authorized to execute an Agreement for public health services for the (1) year period of 2021 with the County of Bergen.

### AG. RESOLUTION 2021-33

# APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVE TO THE COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS ADVISORY BOARD

**WHEREAS,** County Executive, with approval of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, has created a Public Safety Advisory Board which consists of a variety of representatives which includes Freeholder representation, public safety officials, representation from first responder associations, and individual municipalities that are served by the County public safety dispatching service; and

**BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park nominate James Winters as the municipal volunteer representative of the Borough of Harrington Park to serve as a member of the Advisory Board for a one (1) year term, commencing January 2, 2021, and ending December 31, 2021.

### AH. RESOLUTION 2021-34

### APPOINTING BOROUGH CLERK AS REGISTRAR

WHEREAS, the Borough of Harrington Park is required by law, NJS 26:8-1.1 &

NJS 40 A: 9-133 to appoint a Registrar of Vital Statistics as well as a Municipal Clerk; and

WHEREAS, New Jersey statutes, require and authorize the municipality to appoint such officials; and

**WHEREAS,** Ann H. Bistritz has received her certification for both Municipal Clerk and Registrar of Vital Statistics; and

**WHEREAS**, there is sufficient funding per the salary ordinance and the Chief Financial Officer has certified that there are sufficient funds to pay for such officials; and

**WHEREAS,** the Mayor has offered the name of Ann H. Bistritz to serve in the capacity as Municipal Clerk and Registrar of Vital Statistics;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. Ann H. Bistritz shall be appointed as Municipal Clerk and Registrar of Vital Statistics for a three (3) year concurring term, commencing on January 1, 2023, pursuant to NJS 26:8-

- 1.1 & NJS 40A: 9-133 for the term as prescribed therein and provided Ann H. Bistritz otherwise complies with the applicable educational requirements and license requirements applicable to such positions; and
- 2. Ann H. Bistritz shall be paid pursuant to the salary ordinance provisions relating to her positions.

### AI. RESOLUTION 2021-35

### APPOINTMENT OF ALTERNATE DEPUTY MUNICIPAL REGISTRAR

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Harrington Park is required by law, NJS 26:8-17 shall appoint an Alternate Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics; and

WHEREAS, New Jersey statutes, require and authorize the municipality to appoint such officials; and

WHEREAS, Martha Francis is a New Jersey Certified Municipal Registrar; and

**WHEREAS**, Martha Francis will provide this service with compensation as per the Borough Salary Ordinance; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** the Borough Clerk has offered the name of Martha Francis to serve in the capacity as Alternate Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics for the Borough of Harrington Park.

### AJ. RESOLUTION 2021-36

# RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF MATTHEW FIERRO AS THE BOROUGH OF HARRINGTON PARK MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE

WHEREAS, there exists a need for a Borough Municipal Judge; and

**WHEREAS**, funds are available for that purpose; and

Compliance Officer for the calendar year 2021

WHEREAS, NJSA 2B:12-4 confirms and substantiates that need.

**BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that Matthew Fierro is hereby re-appointed as the Municipal Court Judge for the Borough of Harrington Park, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park that the term of this appointment shall be for three years expiring December 31, 2023 at compensation as per the salary ordinance.

### AK. RESOLUTION 2021-37

### DESIGNATING A PUBLIC AGENCY COMPLIANCE OFFICER (P.A.C.O.)

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:27-3.2 et. seq., each public agency shall annually designate an officer or employee to serve as its Public Agency Compliance Officer (P.A.C.O); and

WHEREAS, the individual designated as the Public Agency Compliance Officer will be the point of contact for all matters concerning implementation and administration of the legal requirements of the Equal Employment Opportunity Monitoring Program; and

WHEREAS, the Public Agency Compliance Officer is also responsible for administering contracting procedures pertaining to equal employment regarding both the public agency and its service providers; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:27-3.3, each public agency shall notify the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Purchase & Property, Contract Compliance Audit Unit, EEO Monitoring Program of its designation by January 10th of each year; and WHEREAS, the Borough wishes to designate Ann H. Bistritz, Borough Clerk, to serve as its Public Agency Compliance Officer for the calendar year 2020; and NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the Borough of Harrington Park, that Ann H. Bistritz is hereby designated to serve as its Public Agency

### AL. RESOLUTION 2021-38

### ANNUAL TONNAGE REPORT FILING

**WHEREAS**, commencing in 2012, New Jersey Municipalities are required by the New Jersey Recycling Enhancement Act (REA) P.L. 208, Chapter 6, to have the mandatory Annual Recycling Tonnage Reports approved and signed by a Certified Recycling Professional (CRP); and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Local Public Contracts law (NJSA 40A:11-1 et seq.) authorizes and permits contracting units, such as the Bergen County Utility Authority and the Municipality to enter into services contemplated herein without competitive bidding for the same, pursuant to an in accordance with NJSA 40A:11-5(2); and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into a Service Agreement for retaining and providing CRP services of the Bergen County Utilities Authority for signing of said Annual Recycling Tonnage Report; and

**WHEREAS**, the recycling regulations impose on municipalities certain requirements as a condition for applying for tonnage grants, including but not limited to, making and keeping accurate, verifiable records of materials collected and claimed by the municipality; and

**WHEREAS**, such a resolution should designate the individual authorized to ensure the Annual Recycling Tonnage Grant is properly completed and timely filed.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park hereby endorses the services of the Bergen County Utilities Authority to certify the municipalities Annual Recycling Tonnage Report recycling tonnage grant application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and designates Steven Nappi to ensure that the application is properly filed.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** the terms of this Service Agreement shall be for a term of one (1) year, commencing March 1, 2021.

### AM. RESOLUTION 2021-39

ADOPTING A FORM REQUIRED TO BE USED FOR THE FILING OF NOTICES OF TORT CLAIMS AGAINST THE BOROUGH OF HARRINGTON PARK IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE NEW JERSEY TORT CLAIMS ACT, N.J.S.A. 59:8-6.

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Tort Claims Act N.J.S.A. 59:8-6 provides that a public entity may adopt a form to be completed by claimants seeking to file a Notice of Tort Claim against the public entity; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Harrington Park is a public entity covered by the provisions of the New Jersey Tort Claims Act; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Harrington Park deems it advisable, necessary, and in the public interests to adopt a Notice of Tort Claim form in the form set forth in paragraphs 1 and 2 herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of the Borough of Harrington Park, that the attached Notice of Tort Claim form be and hereby is adopted as the official Notice of Tort Claim form for the Borough of Harrington Park; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all persons making claims against the Borough of Harrington Park, pursuant to the New Jersey Tort Claims Act, N.J.S.A. 59:8-1 et seq., be required to complete the form herein adopted as a condition of compliance with the notice requirement of the New Jersey Tort Claims Act.

### 2021 DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS – BOROUGH OF HARRINGTON PARK

<u>TITLE</u>	NAME	<b>BEGAN</b>	<b>TERM</b>
Administrator	Ann H. Bistritz	2013	*
Alternate Deputy Registrar	Martha Francis	2021	*
Ambulance Corps Captain	Craig Budinich	2020	2021
Assessor	Patrick Wilkins	2018	2021
Assessment Search Officer	Ann H. Bistritz	2010	T
Board of Adjustment Clerk	Carolyn Lee	2017	*
Board of Health Sec'y.	Annie Mongelia	2011	*
Borough Clerk	Ann H. Bistritz	2012	T
Building Inspector	Joseph Zavardino	2013	*
Building Sub-Code Official	Joseph Zavardino	2011	T
CFO	Kunjesh Trivedi	2014	T
Chief of Police	Chief Albert Maalouf	2011	*
Code Enforcement Official	Robert McQuade	2014	*
Construction Code Official	Joseph Zavardino	2011	T
Construction Department Technical Assistant	Debra Rielly	2011	*
Department of Public Works Assist. Forman	Thomas Simpson	2020	*
Department of Public Works Foreman	Kevin Murphy	2008	*
Department of Public Works Superintendent	Steven Nappi	1992	*
Deputy Registrar Vital Statistics	William McGuire	2008	*
Electrical Sub Code Official	Frank Dyer	2013	T
Elevator Inspector	New Jersey Technical Services (Contractual)	2017	2021
Emergency Management Officer	Michael Hunken	2010	2021
Environmental Commission Sec'y.	Martha Francis	2012	*
Fire Chief	Jesse Baragatto	2021	2022
Fire Prevention Marshal	Thomas E. Simpson	2003	*
Fire Sub-Code Official	Joseph Zavardino	2001	T
Health Officer	Louis Apa	1976	*
Local Assistance Director	County of Bergen	2008	*
Municipal Housing Officer	Ann H. Bistritz	2017	*
Municipal Housing Officer (Alt./Financial)	Kunjesh Trivedi	2017	*
Municipal Judge	Matthew Fierro	2018	2023
Newsletter Editor	Martha Francis	2020	2021
Nurse	Gail Poling	2014	*
Registrar Vital Statistics	Ann H. Bistritz	2010	2023
Payroll Clerk	Debra Rielly	2013	*

Planning Board Clerk	Carolyn Lee	2017	*
Plumbing Sub Code Official	Scott Wickershiem	2019	2023
Recreation Secretary	Martha Francis	2020	2021
Right to Know Officer	Ann H. Bistritz	2013	*
Tax Assessor Sec'y.	Annie Mongelia	2011	*
Tax Collector/Tax Search Officer	Kunjesh Trivedi	2014	T
Zoning Officer	Joseph Zavardino	2011	*

### \*Yearly Appointment

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### 2021SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

Pursuant to Governor Murphy's Executive Orders #107 and 108 ordering Statewide lockdowns, and P.L. 2020, c. 34 permitting public bodies to conduct meetings via electronic means during declared states of emergency, meetings of the Borough of Harrington Park will be conducted remotely from the electronic meeting platform Zoom.us. Members of the public can join the meeting and participate during public comment period by joining the meeting using the Zoom mobile application on a smartphone or tablet, joining the meeting by laptop with microphone capabilities, or dialing in using a telephone to the Zoom teleconference system. Postings with meeting links and agendas are posted under the Meetings heading of the Borough website harringtonparknj.gov, advertised in the Bergen Record, and posted on the Borough Hall entrance.

### Meetings are held at 7:00 PM.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL	Agenda	Regular
January	No Meeting	19* (Martin Luther King, Jr. Day 1/18)
February	8	16* (Presidents' Day is 2/15)
March	8	15
April	12	19
May	10	17
June	14	21
July	12	19
August	9	16
September	13	20
October	12* Columbus Day 10/11	18
November	8	15
December	13	20

<sup>\*\*</sup>Budget Meetings to be announced\*\*

**NOTE:** \* Reflects changes due to holidays.

# Board of Adjustment 7:00pm

Planning Board and Recreation Commission 8:00pm Board of Health and Environmental Commission 7:30pm Library Board meets 4:00 p.m.

	BOARD	ENVIRON	. BOARD	LIBRARY	PLAN.	RECREATION	MUNICIPAL
MONTH	OF ADJ.	COMM.	OF HEALTH	BOARD	-	COMMISSION	COURT (4:00PM)
	(4 <sup>TH</sup> Wed)	(1st Wed)	(1 <sup>st</sup> Mon)	(3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed)	(2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues)	(2 <sup>rd</sup> Wed)	(2 <sup>ND</sup> Thurs)
January	27	6	11	20	12	13	14
February	24	3		17	9	10	11

March	24	3	1	17	9	10	11
April	28	7		21	13	14	8
May	26	5		20	11	12	13
June	23	2	7	16	8	09	10
July	28	7		21	13	14	8
August	25	4		18	10	11	12
September	22	1	13	22	14	08	9
October	27	6		21	12	13	14
November	17*	3	1	17	9	10	4 (1 <sup>st</sup> Thurs)
December	15*	1		15	14	08	9

<sup>\*</sup>Meeting dates changed due to holidays and schedule conflicts

NOTE: For meeting changes, etc., please see the Borough Clerk's office to comply with the State requirement to allow for 48-hours notice to the public of such a change.

Notice of the above meetings has been emailed to THE RECORD and THE SUBURBANITE.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of an announcement approved by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Harrington Park at the Reorganization Meeting held on January 2, 2021.

> Ann H. Bistritz Borough Clerk/Administrator